

WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

New Administrative Building, Mantralaya, Mumbai 400 032
dated the 1st March 2006

NOTIFICATION

JUVENILE JUSTICE (CARE AND PROTECTION OF CHILDREN) ACT, 2000.

No. CWC. 2004/C.R.279/D-3.—Whereas, the Government of Maharashtra has vide Government Notification, Women and Child Development Department, No. JJA. 2004/CR-21/D-3, dated the 8th April 2004, issued in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 29 of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 (56 of 2000), constituted Child Welfare Committees for various districts specified in column (1) of the Schedule appended thereto and also appointed Chairperson and members thereof specified in column Nos. (2) and (3) respectively, of the said Schedule, for exercising the powers and discharging the duties conferred on such Committees in relation to child in need of care and protection under the Act;

And whereas, Child Welfare Committee for Sangli District (hereinafter referred to as "the said Committee") is also constituted by the said notification and Advocate Bhagotsingh Balsing Rajput is appointed as a Chairperson and Smt. Bhartiben Bhagwandas Damani, Dr. Vajjayanti Vivek Sindagi, Advocate Prakash Vinayak Kulkarni and Dr. Pooja Raghunath Shinde are appointed as members of the said Committee;

And whereas, the inquiry was held by the State Advisory Board against the Chairperson Advocate Bhagotsingh Balsing Rajput and three members viz. Dr. Vajjayanti Vivek Sindagi, Advocate Prakash Vinayak Kulkarni and Dr. Pooja Raghunath Shinde (hereinafter referred to as "the said members") of the said Committee for misusing the powers vested under the said Act in releasing minor girls from Smt. Sundarabai Malu Observation Home, Sangli;

And whereas, after holding such inquiry the said members, including the Chairperson were found guilty of misusing the powers vested under the said Act in releasing the minor girls from Smt. Sundarabai Malu Observation Home, Sangli;

And whereas, in view of the above mentioned facts, the Government of Maharashtra has decided to remove the said members, including the Chairperson, of the said Committee,

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of section 29 of the said Act, the Government of Maharashtra hereby removes the said members, including the Chairperson, of the said Committee and consequently amends the Government Notification, Women and Child Development Department, No. JJA. 2004/CR-21/D-3, dated the 8th April 2004, as follows :—

In the Schedule appended to the said notification,—

(a) in column (2) under the heading Chairperson, against Sangli District, entry relating to Advocate Bhagatsing Baking Rajput shall be deleted;

(b) in column (3) under the heading Member, against Sangli District, entries 2, 3 and 4 pertaining to Dr. Vajjayanti Vivek Sindagi, Advocate Prakash Vinayak Kulkarni and Dr. Anja Raghunath Shinde, shall be deleted.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

V. A. PARKER,

Deputy Secretary to Government.